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| <b>UTILITY<br/>PATENT APPLICATION<br/>TRANSMITTAL</b><br><small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</small> | Attorney Docket No.                            | P03,0334 |
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Re: Proposed Patent Application for THOMAS FLOHR, KLAUS KLINGENBECK-  
REGN, BERND OHNESORGE and RAINER RIENMUELLER entitled  
"METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING A COMPUTED  
TOMOGRAPHY IMAGE OF A PERIODICALLY MOVING ORGAN, Attorney  
Docket No. P03,0334

S I R:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.41 (c), I am filing the attached application with 15 claims, abstract of the disclosure, 4 sheets of drawings, an unexecuted declaration, a Certified copy of a German Application No. 192 45 943.6 filed September 30, 2002, and a filing fee on behalf of THOMAS FLOHR, KLAUS KLINGENBECK-REGN, BERND OHNESORGE and RAINER RIEMNUELLER, and request that the application papers be assigned a serial number and filing date.

On behalf of the inventor(s), I hereby claim priority from German Application No. 102 45 943.6 filed September 30, 2002.

I request that the application be assigned a Serial No. and Filing Date pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

Respectfully submitted,



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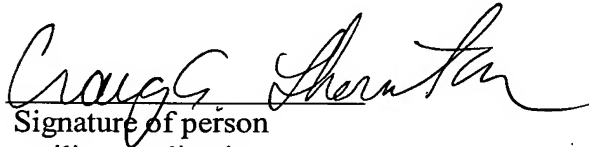
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